

**ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**



Join us on Monday, July 28th through Friday, August 1st for TRUE NORTH Vacation Bible School. We

will explore the mountains, forests, Northern lights, and more as we dive deeper into God’s Word with nightly Bible lessons, crafts, experiments, music, games, and more! We have classes for children ages 3 years old through the 8th grade. Dinner is served each night at 5:30 PM, and VBS is from 6:00-8:30 PM. Please scan the QR code to complete the Google Form to register your child for a fun week, and be sure to invite a friend to join in on the fun too!

We are beginning to work on VBS decorations, and we need some Christmas trees (small, medium, large), icicle lights, & some white Christmas lights. If you have any that can be borrowed, please label them and



drop them off in the youth room. Please text or call Stephanie at 919-427-1434 with any questions.

**SERVING SCHEDULES**

**Sunday School & Worship Services- Nursery**  
 7/06 SS/Church: Renee Spain, Allison Swart & Gray Elks  
 7/13 SS/Church: Nancy Elks, Trudy Garris & Ty Woolard

**Communion Table**                      **Preparing Communion**  
**July:** A.J. Stancill & Tom LaBarbera    **July:** Becky Ormond  
**August:** Greg Spain & Dan Black        **August:** Robin Suggs

**Unlock & Secure the Building**  
**July:** Dewayne Woolard                      **August: NEED VOLUNTEER**

**Opening**                      **Prayer Request**                      **Communion Med**  
 7/13 Tom LaBarbera    7/06 Eugene Hyde                      7/13 Johnny Pinner  
 7/20 WL                      7/20 A.J. Stancill                      7/20 John Ormond

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**Sound System:** Dewayne Woolard, Mark Scott, David Tucker, Eric Briley & Ian Garris

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**For updates for the bulletin,** contact Debra Staton at [statondp53@gmail.com](mailto:statondp53@gmail.com) or call/text 252-717-3297  
**(Please begin using my Gmail address)**

**For announcement videos,** please call/text Stephanie Mayo at 919-427-1434 or contact Dewayne Woolard.



**UPCOMING AT MPCC**

**SUNDAY**  
 9:30 AM Sunday School  
 10:30 AM Worship Service  
 5:00 PM Choir Practice  
 5:00 PM Children’s Services  
 6:30 PM Evening Service

**MONDAY**  
 7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting  
 (2nd Monday of each month)

**TUESDAY**  
 10:00 AM Bible Study  
 7:00 PM Board Meeting  
 (2nd Tuesday of each month)

**WEDNESDAY**  
 4:30 PM Youth Group  
 6:00 PM Kid’s Group  
 6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice  
 7:00 PM Bible Study

**Board Meeting 7/08/25 at 7:00 pm**

**ORDER OF SERVICE**

**SERMON**

**WELCOME TO OUR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*"Battle Belongs"* WL

**PRAISE & WORSHIP**

*"You've Already Won"* Screen

*"Victory In Jesus"* Screen

**Communion Meditation** Robert Pinner

**Communion Music**

*"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"* WL

**Communion**

(if you wish to partake of the Lord's Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)

**Prayer Requests** Tom LaBarbera

**Musical Offering** *"Set Free"* WL

**Morning Message** John Ormond

**"Don't Fall For The Trap" 1 Timothy 6: 9 & 10**

**Hymn of Decision** *"There Is Freedom"* Screen

**\*Closing Prayer**

**\*Closing Hymn** *"Yes, He Can"* (ch) Screen

*Depart to Serve* \* Please Stand

**Please remember to place your tithes & offerings in the plates as you enter or exit the service**

**Thank you – Have a blessed week!!**

**Don't Fall For The Trap**

**1 Timothy 6:9 & 10**

**No Prominence Is Worth Forfeiting Eternity.**

**I. The Word Urges Us To Avoid This Temptation And Trap.**

- A. Paul used a very specific word for temptation.
- B. Paul has a visual word for trap too.

**II. The Word Urges Us To Escape This Lust And Desire.**

- A. Now think of this progression for a second.
- B. Paul breaks down these desires here down into two categories.

**III. The Word Urges Us To Destroy This Stronghold Before It Destroys You.**

- A. Paul wants us to see what being caught in this trap does to a person.
- B. In case you don't get Paul's point, there's more.

**Conclusion:** There used to be a show called "How The Lottery Changed My Life." Most of the stories are about how people lost their lottery winnings and it's really sad. But one story I saw was how a guy won a few million dollars and used it to help others and to bless those who had blessed him when he needed it. You know being "rich" is a source of prominence. Unfortunately, it's the world's means of prominence. The way to spiritual prominence is different. It's not about dollars & cents. It's about considering Jesus for a lifetime. Making His will the most important thing in your life. I pray that all of us can and will do that. Avoid the trap, if caught, escape it as quickly as possible. Then destroy that trap forever.

*Sermon Notes* †

*Date:*

*Speaker:*

*Message Title:*

*Passage:*

*Notes:*

*Main Points:*

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*Verses Used:*

## PRAYER CONCERNS 7/06/25

- 1 Family of Jewell Cuthrell
- 2 Autumn Jones – 15 yo w/Chiari Malformation–surg 7/14
- 3 Dales Jones – recovering from detached retina surgery
- 4 Shannon Hines – having strokes, in rehab at hospital
- 5 Sophia Harrison – surg on left hand 7/07; issues also with gallbladder & liver
- 6 Raymond McKinzey – moved to Willow Creek for PT
- 7 Charlotte Hale – mini strokes
- 8 Steven Stokes – open heart surgery 7/11
- 9 Robin Stallings – getting stents
- 10 Terry Peaden – bleeding mass on his brain
- 11 Velvet Harris – Hope Lodge
- 12 Breana Jenkins – unborn baby has kidney issues
- 13 Rena Sexton – hospice care at home
- 14 Mary Coburn – sinus infection; having endoscopy 10/02
- 15 Steve Bryce – home from rehab - dementia
- 16 Karen Carpenter – liver & bone cancer
- 17 Jackie Carson – cancer, taking aggressive treatment
- 18 Dwight Alligood – pneumonia
- 19 Veronica Redmond – at Duke; lung surgery complications
- 20 Debbie Watson – pancreatic cancer
- 21 Adell Moye – stage 3 uterine cancer; starting chemo
- 22 Jenn Miller – seeing specialist for more tests
- 23 Glen Cowan – awaiting decision on heart blockage
- 24 Shannon Jones – having brain tumor removed at Duke
- 25 Becky Smith- pregnant; issues on baby’s size
- 26 Doug Weber-tumor new growth; searching holistic trmt
- 27 Eva McKinzey – starting radiation in about 2 weeks
- 28 Carl McKinzey – sch for iron infusion; hoping to build up blood to tolerate feeding tube, surgery, chemo/radiation
- 29 Ann Roberson – placed on feeding tube
- 30 Jewell Whitehurst - Dr’s appt Tuesday
- 31 Sahana Chapman – lupus; had surgery on eyes, hoping for restored vision
- 32 Roy Lee Elks- eye surgery went well; will have another surgery later; taken to hospital 6/20 unrelated to eyes
- 33 Gena Penlin – pancreatic cancer
- 34 Annelle West – breast cancer (chemo)
- 35 Hilda Dixon – had cancer surgery
- 36 Sherry Stancill – home health - slow progress
- 37 Doug Edwards – tumor on adrenal & pituitary glands

## PRAYER CONCERNS continued 7/06/25

- 38 Jackie Kennedy – stage 3 breast cancer
- 39 Devin Roebuck – breast cancer – port placed to start chemo
- 40 Will Sanderson – cancer treatments
- 41 Walter Harrington – bone cancer/treatment plan
- 42 John Hird – receiving 12 rounds of immunotherapy; some shrinkage of tumors
- 43 Lavern Mills – skin cancer
- 44 Stacy Latham – lung cancer
- 45 Les Owens – lung cancer
- 46 Jackie Liebrandt – having reactions to chemo
- 47 Ricky Woolard – surgery is no longer an option
- 48 Heather Folsom – celebrated last radiation on spine; not sure what’s next
- 49 Terry Reel – lung cancer; passing out, in hospital
- 50 Amy Moore – several dr visits upcoming & scans
- 51 Rita Mahaffey – back in hospital – struggling to breath & retaining fluid – lupus issues as well
- 52 Shelby Brown – palliative care

### LOVE & SUPPORT

Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Andy McKinney	Dawn Johnson
Sarah Glasgow	Glynn Bright	Savanna Grace Bailey
Tina Nobles	Neal Carson	Owen Robinson
Caleb Kittrell	Peggy Hoyst	Mike Hoyst
Bob Barbour	Raymond McKinzey	Jordan Schile
Greg Rhue	Patti Columbe	Wayne Harrell

### On-Going Prayers For

Our Church Leaders    Our Church Family    Our Youth Ministry  
Our Music Ministry    Our Country    Our Military Forces

Please send any updates for prayer concerns to Debra Staton  
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Thank you



*This is a Ladies Aid Event open to all the Ladies in the Church.....please join us for "SOME PEACE BY THE RIVER"*